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Christmas is coming and we all wish to Remember our Friends. A suitable, useful and ornamental present can be selected from my large Assortment of

Rich Diamonds,
Jewelry, Fine Watches,
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Hollowware, Cut Glass,
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CIGARS and TOBACCOS.

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WHY WAIT FOR... ... SANTA CLAUS

When you can get Everything that he carries in the way of
Candies, Cigars, Toys,
Dolls, Fine Stationery,
Books, Sleds, Christmas
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In fact, everything that will
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Miss Gertrude Wilson returned on Monday from Litchfield, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm Simpson.

This is an off year for money. If you want a useful, but low priced Christmas present, go to Hoffman's Second Hand Store.

Miss Isabella Crough, of Brainerd, formerly of this city, has accepted her old position of saleslady in Tomely's Bargain Bazaar, and will again become a resident of this community.—Little Falls Transcript.

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All 25 cent books at 15 cents next week at the book sale at Atwood & Johnson's drug store.

Pepsin gum at half the usual price at Atwood & Johnson's. Nothing better for the digestion.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontolung, at Dr. Ribbel's.

Misses Onalee and Clotilde McCullough will spend the Christmas holidays in Clinton, Iowa, with relatives.

Select Baltimore oysters, received direct from Baltimore daily, for sale at Benson & Gray's, at 40 cents a quart.

F. B. Johnson of the McFadden Drug Co., spent several days in the cities below the first of the week on business.

We have just what you are looking for in Christmas Gifts, if you will call we will convince you we are right, at Swartz Drug Store.

Mrs. Oscar Parks, of Fargo, arrived in the city on Saturday, and will remain here over the holidays, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parks.

Leave your orders for Christmas trees with C. G. Osterlund, Koop block, and they will be delivered at your door without extra charge.

Mack's Headache Powders will cure your headache in 15 or 20 minutes. McFadden Drug Co., sole manufacturers. For sale by all druggists.

The most useful Christmas present—The Chautauqua Desk and Blackboard. 300 sold last year for \$3.75 each. Our price \$2.50. HOFFMAN'S.

REMEMBER—Every purchaser of 25 cents worth of goods or over at our store between Dec. 20th and 25th will be given a nice bottle of perfume free. Atwood & Johnson.

Toilet Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Tan, Necktie, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, at prices to suit everybody. Call and see them at Swartz Drug Store.

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A bottle of perfume will be given FREE to every purchaser of 25 cents worth of goods at Atwood & Johnson's popular Front street drug store, between the 20th and 25th of this month.

What makes a nicer Christmas present than a beautiful book? Atwood & Johnson have a special sale on books all next week, and will sell their 25 cent books for only 15 cents. Don't forget it.

The Chautauqua Club will give a social dancing party at Gardner Hall on Christmas night. The dancing parties of the club are always very delightful occasions, and invitations to attend are much sought after.

FREE—Atwood & Johnson, the enterprising Front street druggists, will give free to every person making a purchase of 25 cents worth of goods at their store between December 20th and 25th, a fine bottle of perfume.

The ladies of the Bethlehem Norwegian Lutheran church will give a fair and supper at Walters' old shoe stand on Front street on Monday and Tuesday evening, Dec. 21st and 22nd. A nice lot of fancy work will be for sale. Supper served from 6 to 9 o'clock.

W. E. Campbell left Brainerd on Wednesday evening for New York City, where he has accepted a position as general manager of the clothing manufacturing establishment of H. C. Burbank & Co. Mr. Campbell has been in business here for many years, and his many friends greatly regret his departure.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a New Year's dinner in the Y. M. C. A. hall on January 1st, 1897. Roast turkey and all the usual accessories will be served. English plum pudding will be one of the special features of the dinner. Every one come and bring a friend. Only 25 cents for dinner.

The new society just organized by the men of the Presbyterian church, has for its objects, the advancement of religious matters, the development of character, and for the cultivation of the amenities of social life. Regular meetings are held the second and fourth Monday evenings of the month at the Presbyterian church. All young men and friends of the church are cordially invited to meet with them.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

IMPROVING THE ARLINGTON HOTEL.

A New Steam Heating Plant and Bath Rooms Being Put In.

Extensive improvements are underway at the Arlington Hotel. Excavations are now in progress for a large basement under the hotel, and a big 60 foot chimney is being constructed preparatory to putting in a complete steam heating plant, the contract for which will be let in a day or two. The local plumbers are figuring on the work, also J. W. Moore, representing the Moore Steam Heating Co., of Minneapolis, and Allan Black and H. E. Stevens, of St. Paul. The work will be pushed to completion as soon as possible. Over 100 steam registers will be necessary to heat the building. In addition, seven complete bath outfits will be put in, two for public use, and five in connection with private rooms. Mr. Wise is sparing no expense to make the Arlington one of the very best hotels in the northwest.

Want the Co-operation of the Public.

EDITOR DISPATCH.—The undersigned, wishing to provide a means by which men out of employment may obtain food and shelter, have opened a home known as the "Door of Hope," where a meal or lodging can be obtained on the presentation of a ticket costing 5 cents. The co-operation of the public is asked in providing work, wood sawing, etc., at the rate of two tickets per hour. We recommend that parties asking for meals at private houses be given work sufficient to earn a ticket, and that those not accepting help in this way be refused. There may be some who would like an hour's work a day in doing about the house or barn who can thus help the enterprise. By leaving word at the Y. M. C. A. building men will be sent as soon as possible to do work. We hope in this way to make the institution self-supporting. Will you help at once by buying tickets, to be given out as work is done? Mr. Fisher is authorized to receive money for tickets and to give receipts for the same. Pay no money without receiving a receipt. Weekly reports of receipts and expenditures will be given in the papers. Per order

MINISTRIAL ASSOCIATION.
Brainerd, Dec. 15th, 1896.

Annual Fair.

The annual fair of the ladies of the M. E. church will be held at the Y. M. C. A. parlors on the evenings of December 22nd and 23rd. Supper will be served both evenings from 6 until 10 p. m. The rooms will be finely decorated, and there will be booths containing fancy articles suitable for Christmas presents for sale. All are invited to attend.

Atwood & Johnson have the finest line of books in the city. They hold a special sale next week, commencing Monday, Dec. 21st. Don't forget to avail yourself of this great opportunity to get a nice book at a nominal cost. All 25 cent books will be sold for 15 cents.

At White's hardware store can be found many useful articles especially adapted for the holiday trade. In addition to the regular stock carried for Christmas, and it will pay you to call at the store on Laurel street and look the stock over before completing your purchases.

On Tuesday evening Dec. 22, C. G. McDonald will give a masquerade skate at the ice rink near the East Brainerd wagon bridge. Admission to the rink will be 25 cents, and holders of season tickets will be charged 15 cents extra on that evening. The toboggan slide will be in operation if the weather permits.

Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, mother of Mrs. W. H. Mantor, of this city, died at her home in Boone, Iowa, on Sunday, Dec. 13th. The deceased was well known by many of the Brainerd people, she having visited her daughter here at different times. Mrs. Mantor, who has been at Boone for some time is expected to return in a few days.

Fire and water badly damaged the residence of Wm. Barron in the Second ward at noon today. The blaze had gained considerable headway and had worked in between the partitions before the department arrived making it necessary to use considerable water before it was brought under control. The house and contents were fully insured.

On Monday evening, Alpha Chapter No. 23, Order of the Eastern Star elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

Worthy Patron—M. K. Swartz.

Worthy Matron—Mrs. M. McFadden.

Associate Matron—Mrs. Jennie Brivins.

Conductress—Mrs. R. Caughie.

Associate conductress—Miss Lurline Cale.

Secretary—Mrs. Geo. A. Keene.

Treasurer—Mrs. M. K. Swartz.

D. R. Elder returned from his trip to North Dakota yesterday morning where he went to ascertain if possible the fate of his brother, John Elder, who was lost in the blizzard the latter part of November. Mr. Elder found no trace of the missing man although a large scope of country was gone over by himself and a party of men. The facts in the case are substantially as published in this paper last week. It is altogether probable that the remains of John Elder will not be found until the snow disappears in the spring as it is the general opinion that he lies buried in some coulee under many feet of snow.

KATSON WINS A WIFE.

A Young Farmer in This Vicinity is no Slouch at Love-Making.

The daily papers on Monday contained the following dispatch:

Chicago, Dec. 13.—From Halsted street to the river and from Twelfth street to the unavoidable river again, the Seventh ward was bursting with happiness yesterday over the favorable termination of a romance that has held the interest of the Seventh warders since Brenner was elected alderman last spring.

It is says the Chronicle, the story of the hearts of Miss Sarah Zeunen and L. D. Katson. She was a Seventh ward belle, though she counted but eighteen years. Now she is a wife in a little town near Brainerd, Minn., where Katson has taken her. Their courtship, which came about in a singular manner ended yesterday in Milwaukee.

Mr. Katson, being arrived at that estate where he might with all prudence take unto himself a wife, cast his eye over Minnesota upland and saw not one dwelling where a maiden dwelt. The nearest town, too, he ransacked and found none fancy free. Long days of anxious pondering brought to him an idea. Katson got an egg, sat himself down and wrote. Close and crabbled were the markings of the violent ink on the pink flushed shell of the egg, but when all was done this might be read in good light:

"To the woman into whose hands this may fall: I am a bachelor; young, good looking and with money in the bank, and I desire a wife. Will you have me? I live on my farm here, where I am prosperous and have a steady income. The money in the bank is enough to secure me and mine against want in two bad seasons, and I am of a loving disposition. This is the only method I have of reaching a good housewife. L. D. Katson, P. O., Brainerd, Minn."

In a case of eggs he placed his love message. The expressman shot the case artwark his car and the drayman dropped it kerplunk on the sidewalk of the commission house, but the eggs broke not. The candler took time to smile and think of things far away when the tender words met his eye. The great stream of commerce, with its dozens of radiating branches, seized the egg and carried it to the little off-road store of Mrs. Levinson, at Maxwell street and Newberry avenue. Her daughter, Nina Glickman, girlie, seized on the love message. Her friends and she laughed over it and told brave stories of letters they would write and some of them did write. Among them Sarah Zeunen, who lived just south of the little grocery, sent a photograph and a letter.

The summer came and letters became things of every day to L. D. Katson on the Minnesota prairie and the little girl in stuffy Newberry avenue. The fall brought to Katson thoughts of the long winter and its lonesome stretches of unchanging days and nights, and he sent, by express this time, a sparkling ring. It was not returned, and when the beginning of the snow season was upon him Katson urged the naming of the day. He came to Chicago to urge it, and Mr. and Mrs. Zeunen, ignorant of the long and loving correspondence, were surprised to see a strange young man call on Sarah. He came twice and then vanished, so they thought no more about it.

But Friday Sarah whispered a secret in the ears of her friends and that night she left suddenly for Milwaukee. Each friend to whom things had been whispered bought a bushel of eggs, and the surprise party that gathered at the Northwestern depot carried Miss Zeunen by storm. What she did with all the eggs is a problem in household economy out in Brainerd. Miss Zeunen reached Milwaukee and her lover's arms in good time. And so they were married, and if they follow the precedent in such cases they will live happily after-ward.

For Cash

and to enable you to make your children a substantial Christmas present we will give 20 cent off on all children's leather shoes.

R. F. WALTERS.

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TOILET SPECIALTIES

Sealed proposals will be received up to 10 a. m. Tuesday, January 5th, 1897, for 25 cords of 4 foot green pine wood and also 25 cords of 4 foot green tamarac wood. The board of county commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

LOUIS TACK, County Auditor.

Dec. 4.-St.

Notice.

All outstanding notes and orders against school district No. 29 are due and payable. If not presented for payment, all interest will cease after Jan. 1st, 1897. C. A. KRECH, Clerk. Brainerd, Dec. 10, 1896. 3t.

Direct Cut in Prices.

Benson & Gray have reduced the price of Pork Roasts and Pork Steaks from 12 1/2 to 10 cents per pound. Choice cuts at this low figure at all times. All kinds of fresh salt water fish received daily.

Breaks Up Colds.

Dr. Humphrey's specific "77" breaks up colds that "hang on" and prevents pneumonia. Price 25c at all druggists.

Hoffman's second store will buy your furniture, trade you new goods for old or sell you complete house-keeping outfits on installments. tft.

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We Can Truthfully State That The Variety And Size Of Our

HANDKERCHIEF STOCK

Is Unusual. Our Line of Novelties in Stamped Linens, Embroidery, Silks, Crochet Silks, Knitting Silks, Ties, Doilies, Throws, China Silks, Silk Fringes, Cords, Tassels, Down Pillows, Silkoniens, Art Denims, China Crepes, Etc., Are Ready for Your Inspection.

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Q. M.—H. J. Hagadorn.
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Delegate to Department Encampment, George W. Healey; alternate, John Gibson.

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Has a few goods that are out of style. You can buy them at Half Price. Shoes neatly repaired.

One Clean Christmas Cake.

Customers do not get the smallest portion of their peck of dirt in our Christmas cake. It is as clean as it is possible to make it, and it is just as good as it is clean, only the very best materials being used in its manufacture. All fruit is washed by our own process, and particular care is given to the baking. The choicest butter is used in making our Christmas cakes, just as it is in our pastry. Orders have already been received from many of the best families in Brainerd, many of them having made their own Christmas cakes heretofore, but a sample has convinced them that baking as we do, hundreds of pounds, we can take better care than they can, and sell it to them for less money than they can possibly make it for. It sells at 25 cents per pound.

D. MAHONEY, East Front St.

Pepsin gum aids digestion. Atwood & Johnson are selling it now at half the usual price.

Held for Robbery.

The St. Louis Republican of a recent date contained the following dispatch:

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The authorities in this city have received inquiries from the prosecuting officers of the county where young McElroy is held, asking concerning his character here.

Bids for Wood.

Sealed proposals will be received up to 10 a. m. Tuesday, January 5th, 1897, for 25 cords of 4 foot green jack pine wood and also 25 cords of 4 foot green tamarac wood. The board of county commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

LOUIS TACKER, County Auditor.

NOTICE.

All outstanding notes and orders against school district No. 29 are due and payable. If not presented for payment, all interest will cease after Jan. 1st, 1897. C. A. KASCH, Clerk. Brainerd, Dec. 10, 1896. St.

Direct Cut in Prices.

Benson & Gray have reduced the price of Pork Roasts and Pork Steaks from 12 1/2 to 10 cents per pound. Choice cuts at this low figure at all times. All kinds of fresh salt water fish received daily.

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KATSON WINS A WIFE.

A Young Farmer in This Vicinity is no Slouch at Love-Making.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—From Halsted street to the river and from Twelfth street to the unavoidable river again, the Seventh ward was bursting with happiness yesterday over the favorable termination of a romance that has held the interest of the Seventh warders since Brenner was elected alderman last spring. It is, says the Chronicle, the story of the hearts of Miss Sarah Zeunen and L. D. Katson. She was a Seventh ward belle, though she counted but eighteen years. Now she is a wife in a little town near Brainerd, Minn., where Katson has taken her. Their courtship, which came about in a singular manner ended yesterday in Milwaukee.

Mr. Katson, being arrived at that estate where he might with all prudence take unto himself a wife, cast his eye over Milwaukee upland and saw not one dwelling where a maiden dwelt. The nearest town, too, he ransacked and found none fancy free. Long days of anxious pining brought him no aid. Katson got an egg and cracked the marking of the violent ink on the pink flushed shell of the egg, but when all was done this might be read in good light:

"To the woman into whose hands this may fall: I am a bachelor; young, good looking and with money in the bank, and I desire a wife. Will you have me? I live on my farm here, where I am prosperous and have a steady income. The money in the bank is enough to secure me and mine against want in two bad seasons, and I am of a loving disposition. This is the only method I have of reaching a good housewife. L. D. Katson, P. O., Brainerd, Minn."

In a case of eggs he placed his love message. The expressman shot the case awry his car and the drayman dropped it headlong on the sidewalk of the commission house, but the eggs broke not. The candler took time to smile and think of things far away when the tender words met his eye. The great storm of commerce, with its dozens of radiating branches, seized the egg and carried it to the little off-road store of Mrs. Levinson, at Maxwell street and Newberry avenue. Her daughter, Nina Glickman, girl-like, seized on the love message. Her friends and she laughed over it and told brave stories of letters they would write and some of them did write. Among them Sarah Zeunen, who lived just south of the little grocery, sent a photograph and a letter.

The summer came and letters became things of every day to L. D. Katson on the Minnesota prairie and the little girl in stuffy Newberry avenue. The fall brought to Katson thoughts of the long winter and its loneliness stretches of unchanging days and nights, and he sent, by express this time, a sparkling ring. It was not returned, and when the beginning of the snow season was upon him Katson urged the naming of the day. He came to Chicago to urge it, and Mrs. Zeunen, ignorant of the long and loving correspondence, were surprised to see a strange young man call on Sarah. He came twice and then vanished, so they thought no more about it.

But Friday Sarah whispered a secret in the ears of her girl friends and that night she left suddenly for Milwaukee. Each friend to whom things had been whispered bought a bushel of eggs, and the surprise party gathered at the Northwestern depot carried Miss Zeunen by storm. What she did with all the eggs is a problem in household economy out in Brainerd. Miss Zeunen reached Milwaukee and her lover's arms in good time. And so they were married, and if they follow the precedent in such cases they will live happily after-ward.

For Cash.

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We Can Truthfully State That The Variety And Size Of Our

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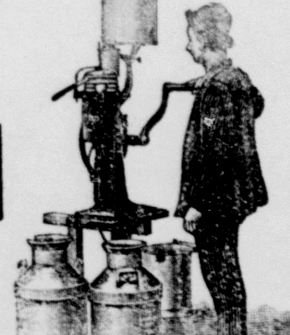
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Extensive improvements are underway at the Arlington Hotel. Excavations are now in progress for a large basement under the hotel, and a big 60 foot chimney is being constructed preparatory to putting in a complete steam heating plant, the contract for which will be let in a day or two. The local plumbers are figuring on the work, also J. W. Moore, representing the Moore Steam Heating Co., of Minneapolis, and Allan Black and H. E. Stevens, of St. Paul. The work will be pushed to completion as soon as possible. Over 100 steam registers will be necessary to heat the building. In addition seven complete bath outfits will be put in, two for public use, and five in connection with private rooms. Mr. Wise is sparing no expense to make the Arlington one of the very best hotels in the northwest.

Want the Co-operation of the Public.

EDITOR DISPATCH:—The undersigned, wishing to provide a means by which men out of employment may obtain food and shelter, have opened a home known as the "Door of Hope," where a meal or lodging can be obtained on the presentation of a ticket costing 5 cents. The co-operation of the public is asked in providing work, wood sawing, etc., at the rate of two tickets per hour. We recommend that parties asking for meals at private houses be given work sufficient to earn a ticket, and that those not accepting help in this way be refused. There may be some who would like an hour's work a day in choring about the house or barn who can thus help the enterprise. By leaving word at the Y. M. C. A. building men will be sent as soon as possible to do work. We hope in this way to make the institution self-supporting. Will you help at once by buying tickets, to be given out as work is done? Mr. Fisher is authorized to receive money for tickets and to give receipts for the same. Pay no money without receiving a receipt. Weekly reports of receipts and expenditures will be given in the papers. Per order

MINNEAPOLIS ASSOCIATION.

Brainerd, Dec. 15th, 1896.

Annual Fair.

The annual fair of the ladies of the M. E. church will be held at the Y. M. C. A. parlors on the evenings of December 22nd and 23rd. Supper will be served both evenings from 6 until 10 p. m. The rooms will be finely decorated, and there will be booths containing fancy articles suitable for Christmas presents for sale. All are invited to attend.

Atwood & Johnson have the finest line of books in the city. They hold a special sale next week, commencing Monday, Dec. 21st. Don't forget to avail yourself of this great opportunity to get a nice book at a nominal cost. All 25 cent books will be sold for 15 cents.

At White's hardware store can be found many useful articles especially adapted for the holiday trade. In addition to the regular stock carried a line of goods has been added for Christmas, and it will pay you to call at the store on Laurel street and look at the stock over before completing your purchases.

On Tuesday evening Dec. 22, C. G. McDonald will give a masquerade skate at the ice rink near the East Brainerd wagon bridge. Admission to the rink will be 25 cents, and holders of season tickets will be charged 15 cents extra on that evening. The toboggan slide will be in operation if the weather permits.

Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, mother of Mrs. W. H. Mantor, of this city, died at her home in Boone, Iowa, on Sunday, Dec. 13th. The deceased was well known by many of the Brainerd people, she having visited her daughter here at different times. Mrs. Mantor, who has been at Boone for some time, is expected to return in a few days.

Fire and water badly damaged the residence of Wm. Barron in the Second ward at noon to-day. The blaze had gained considerably headway and had worked in between the partitions before the department arrived making it necessary to use considerable water before it was brought under control. The house and contents were fully insured.

On Monday evening, Alpha Chapter No. 23, Order of the Eastern Star elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

Worthy Patron—M. K. Swartz.

Worthy Matron—Mrs. M. McFadden.

Associate Matron—Mrs. Jennie Bivins.

Conductress—Mrs. R. Caughey.

Associate conductress—Miss L. L. Cale.

Secretary—Mrs. Geo. A. Keene.

Treasurer—Mrs. M. K. Swartz.

D. R. Elder returned from his trip to North Dakota yesterday morning where he went to ascertain if possible the fate of his brother, John Elder, who was lost in the blizzard the latter part of November. Mr. Elder found no trace of the missing man although a large scope of country was gone over by himself and a party of men. The facts in the case are substantially as published in this paper last week. It is altogether probable that the remains of John Elder will not be found until the snow disappears in the spring as it is the general opinion that he lies buried in some cove under many feet of snow.

KATSON WINS A WIFE.

A Young Farmer In This Vicinity is no Slouch at Love-Making.

The daily papers on Monday contained the following dispatch: CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—From Halsted street to the river and from Twelfth street to the unavoidable river again, the Seventh ward was bursting with happiness yesterday over the favorable termination of a romance that has held the interest of the Seventh warders since Brenner was elected alderman last spring. It is says the Chronicle, the story of the hearts of Miss Sarah Zeunen and L. D. Katson. She was a Seventh ward belle, though she counted but eighteen years. Now she is a wife in a little town near Brainerd, Minn., where Katson has taken her. Their courtship, which came about in a singular manner ended yesterday in Milwaukee.

Mr. Katson, being arrived at that estate where he might with all prudence take unto himself a wife, cast his eye over Minnesota upland and saw not one dwelling where a maiden dwelt. The nearest town, too, he ransacked and found none fancy free. Long days of anxious pondering brought to him an idea. Katson got an egg, sat himself down and wrote. Close and crabbled were the markings of the violent ink on the pink flushed shell of the egg, but when all was done this might be read in good light:

"To the woman into whose hands this may fall: I am a bachelor; young, good looking and with money in the bank, and I desire a wife. Will you have me? I live on my farm here, where I am prosperous and have a steady income. The money in the bank is enough to secure me and mine against want in two bad seasons, and I am of a loving disposition. This is the only method I have of reaching a good housewife. L. D. Katson, P. O., Brainerd, Minn."

In a case of eggs he placed his love message. The expression shot the egg toward his car and the drayman dropped it kerplunk on the sidewalk of the commission house, but the eggs broke not. The candler took time to smile and think of things far away when the tender words met his eye. The great stream of commerce, with its dozens of radiating branches, seized the egg and carried it to the little off-road store of Mrs. Levinson, at Maxwell street and Newberry avenue. Her daughter, Nina Glickman, girl-like, seized on the love message. Her friends and she laughed over it and told brave stories of letters they would write and some of them did write. Among them Sarah Zeunen, who lived just south of the little grocery, sent a photograph and a letter.

The summer came and letters became things of every day to L. D. Katson on the Minnesota prairie and the little girl in stuffy Newberry avenue. The fall brought to Katson thoughts of the long winter and its lonesome stretches of unchanging days and nights, and he sent, by express this time, a sparkling ring. It was not returned, and when the beginning of the snow season was upon him Katson argued the naming of the day. He came to Chicago to urge it, and Mr. and Mrs. Zeunen, ignorant of the long and loving correspondence, were surprised to see a strange young man call on Sarah. He came twice and then vanished, so they thought no more about it.

But Friday Sarah whispered a secret in the ears of her girl friends and that night she left suddenly for Milwaukee. Each friend to whom things had been whispered bought a bushel of eggs, and the surprise party that gathered at the Northwestern depot carried Miss Zeunen by storm. What she will do with all the eggs is a problem in household economy out in Brainerd. Miss Zeunen reached Milwaukee and her lover's arms in good time. And so they were married, and if they follow the precedent in such cases they will live happily afterward.

For Cash
Spring Chickens at Bane & Bane's at 10 cents per pound. Hens at 10 cents per pound.

TOILET SPECIALTIES

On hearing today they gave their names as James McElroy, Brainerd, Minn., and Frank Walters, 821 Leona avenue, St. Louis. They are supposed to be the men who made an attempt to blow a safe here last week. They are behind the bars in the county jail here awaiting the action of the grand jury.

The authorities in this city have received inquiries from the prosecuting officers of the county where young McElroy is held, asking concerning his character here.

Bids for Wood.

Sealed proposals will be received up to 10 a. m. Tuesday, January 5th, 1897, for 25 cords of 4 foot green jack pine wood and also 25 cords of 4 foot green tamarac wood. The board of county commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

LOUIS TACKER,
County Auditor.

Dec. 4-5t.

Notice.

All outstanding notes and orders against school district No. 29 are due and payable. If not presented for payment, all interest will cease after Jan. 1st, 1897. C. A. KRECH, Clerk.

Brainerd, Dec. 10, 1896. 3t.

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